



# NEWS RELEASE

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## HIGHWAY 17 NIGHTTIME RESURFACING NEAR SCOTTS VALLEY BEGINS MONDAY

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY—Crews will begin resurfacing the existing roadway with new asphalt concrete from just north of the Hwy. 1/17 separation to just north of the Granite Creek Overcrossing next Monday, June 12, Caltrans officials announced today.

The project will consist of night work weekdays **northbound** from 8 pm to 5 am and **southbound** from 8 pm to 12 pm (noon), with 15-20 minute delays expected. One lane will remain open in each direction at all times. **No two consecutive ramps will be closed at one time.**

Message signs have been posted to advise motorists.

The contractor for this \$1.8 million project is Granite Construction of Watsonville. Work is expected to be complete by mid-August.

**This resurfacing work is separate from the Hwy. 1/17 Merge Lanes Project.**

For more information regarding this and other projects, the public may call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs staff at 831-423-0396 or e-mail us at [info-d5@dot.ca.gov](mailto:info-d5@dot.ca.gov). # # #

